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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Real Estate and Construction Division,

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FROM:

Executive Officer, OTE

SUBJECT:

Selection of More Attractive Conduit for

Exposed Power, Communications, and

Computer Lines (U)

The recommended use of ferrous metal raceway rather than electrical conduit for new power, communications, and computer lines was brought to our attention during the final planning phase of the Chamber of Commerce gridding project. agree that the metal raceway is aesthetically more desirable than the existing conduit, and prefer its use in the current gridding project if it will not result in additional delays.

The new data communication lines must be operational as soon as possible if OTE is to meet its upcoming training commitments. An extension beyond the projected November 1984 completion would have a serious impact on many of our training programs. It is our understanding that the substitution of the new raceway would result in such a project delay. Accordingly, we request that the gridding project continue as planned utilizing the electrical conduit rather than the preferred raceway.

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